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Sir/Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2005, kindly amend the application as follows and reconsider the application in light of the amendments and remarks presented herein.

A petition for extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is attached herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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